

1 Tools and Services Provided by AMMOS

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Instrument Data Processing

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[Instrument Data Processing Services](#)

3D Animation/Visualization Service

Integrated data visualization and 3D-HDTV-rendering services that incorporate navigation and ephemeris files, CAD models, and remotely sensed images to support visualization for strategic operations (1-day to 2-week turnaround time).

Experiment Product Generation Service

Provides adapted (Instrument Operations Systems) IOS tools and operations team to perform processing of instrument data (telemetry stream, SFDUs or CFDP files), and creates archive-ready Level-0 data products. Validates and catalogs Level-0 products (Experiment Data Records).

Image/Experiment Data Record Display Service

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Science Data Infrastructure Service

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Tactical Product Generation Service

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APPS (AMMOS-PDS Pipeline Service)

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- Marsviewer: Provides a rich-client display tool for browsing and viewing image data products and visualizing their content
- Webification: Provides a ReSTful web service (w10n) framework that facilitates direct, browser-based access to instrument data products and applications from any location.

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Accepts DSN-standard formats from
a) Telemetry All Frame Service or Virtual Channel Service,
b) Telemetry Packet Service, and
c) Telemetry File Service via CCSDS File Delivery Protocol (CFDP)

Performs the following processing:
a) Channel values are converted into engineering units (EU) from data numbers (DN).
b) Display spacecraft engineering channels
c) Query telemetry data (frames, packets, and files)
d) Provide short-term storage of these products

[Telemetry Processing and Display Tools](#)

AMPCS (AMMOS Mission Data Processing and Control System)
AMPCS provides a collection of telemetry and command software used during all phases of a mission (A through E). MPCS provides: Telemetry and Test Tools for ATLO Support, Mission Control Query Plotting Scripts, Flight System Telemetry Display and Alarm Generation, as well as the S/C Telemetry Monitor Toolkit.

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1.1.4.1 AMPCS (AMMOS Mission Data Processing and Control System)

Telemetry Input Handling

- Processing of CCSDS-formatted spacecraft telemetry in packet format.
- Handling of DSN-generated SFDU wrappers
- Reading of telemetry from a file, socket, DSN Emulator, DSN Telemetry Data System (TDS), or previouslycreated AMPCS database.
- Real-time notification and logging of status of connection to telemetry source Telemetry Packet Handling
- Storage of packet data and metadata to database
- Periodic real-time notification and logging of packet processing status
- Packet gap analysis tool
- Scrolling GUI and command line views of received packet statistics Channel Processing
- Extraction of telemetry channel samples from real-time and recorded pre-channelized packets
- Extraction of telemetry channel samples from packets using a decommutation map
- Channelization of packet header/wrapper metadata
- Channelization of DSN MON-0158 data
- Derivation of new channel samples from existing ones using bit unpack or custom algorithms
- Engineering Unit calculation using table, polynomial, or custom algorithm
- Publication of channel samples on the real-time message service and archival of channel samples in the database
- Tabular, Plot, and Custom Layout GUI views of channelized data
- Scrolling command-line views of incoming channel samples
- Telemetry channels and metadata storage (databases).

Alarm Processing

- Channel alarm computation for both real-time and recorded telemetry channels
- Centralized calculation of high value, low value, inclusive range, exclusive range, mask, state, change, delta, digital, and combination alarm types.
- Support for both project and user level alarm definition files
- Publication of alarms on the real-time message service and archival of alarm events with channel samples in the database

- Alarm GUI view

Session Handling

- Unique identification of each AMPCS session and all related data
- Storage of all session configuration to the database
- Single session output directory for all files in test venues
- Migration of data between databases by session

Reporting

- Query for all basic types of data in the AMPCS database: sessions, packets, channel samples, log messages.
- Selection from several standard report formats (CSV, summary, XML, etc) or user-defined format
- Integrated session reports and data summary reports
- Interactive plotting of channelized telemetry from the database

Automation Support

- MTAK (MPCS Test Automation Toolkit) python library
- Automatic alarm notification via text or e-mail
- Script triggering based upon real-time message service notifications
- Concurrent migration of data from local to remote database
- Fixed View perspective python library for writing scripts that generate displays

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The GDS Integration, Test, Deployment & Support functions offer Flight Projects the option of utilizing experts in AMMOS integration, installation, testing, monitoring and maintaining the Uplink and Downlink functions of AMMOS resulting in a highly operable GDS component. AMMOS GDS Integration engineers work as embedded members of the Project GDS team working fully with the Project ground data system engineer(s) and Project integration, test and deployment engineer(s). GDS deployments into Project Testbed, Assembly Test Launch Operations (ATLO) and Flight Operations environments is provided.

GDS Integration has experience deploying and maintaining GDSs for most major Project operations scenarios including Orbiter (with relay), Lander, Fly By with Earth Return and Earth Trailing Observatories.

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Provides integration, verification and validation of multimission or single-project instantiations of AMMOS GDS. Deploys AMMOS GDS (including third-party software) to workstations. Provides server administration services, hardware and software maintenance. Includes GDS support to Testbed environments as well as GDS-only test environments. Enables missions to share common deployment and operations procedures with minimal tailoring to specific Project needs.

[GDS Integration, Test, Deployment & Support Services](#)

Integrated GDS with DSNE (Deep Space Network Emulator)

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[Mission Design Services](#)

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Preliminary Mission Design

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[Navigation Services](#)

Launch, Acquisition and Early Mission Orbit Determination

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Navigation Analysis and Design

Analysis and design of the navigation plan, including optimization of tracking data types and tracking schedules, orbit determination strategy, prediction, delivery and reconstruction accuracy analysis and planetary protection analysis.

Optical Navigation

Analysis of optical navigation requirements and camera design. Determination of image parameters, pointing, and imaging schedules. Conversion of images into navigation observables. Determination of small-body surface models and dynamic characteristics based on optical images. May include utilization of the positions of landmarks on a body surface in the navigation process (i.e., landmark tracking).

Orbit Determination

Generation of accurate predicted and reconstructed trajectories using a combination of tracking data types. Generation of simulated trajectories and measurements for Operational Readiness Tests and other analysis.

Real-time Event Monitoring

Real-time monitoring of tracking data residuals during mission critical events (e.g. maneuvers, orbit insertions, proximity operations).

Trajectory Analysis and Maneuver Design

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GDS Engineering Support

Provides system engineering services and support needed to maintain ground data system functionality during operations. Includes software tools and scripts in support of process automation and improvement. Provides System Administration services, hardware and software maintenance. Provides single point-of-contact for GDS operations troubleshooting for time-critical environments or events.

Mission Support Facilities

Provides logistical consulting, architecture, engineering and support between communicating entities.

Operations Mission Assurance

Increases the likelihood of mission success by proactively contributing to the identification, assessment and mitigation of risks from formulation through implementation phases of a

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Operations System Engineering

System engineering for the MGSS operations areas, and responsible for implementing the multimission operational team support for missions.

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1.4.2 GDS Engineering Support

Provides system engineering services and support needed to maintain ground data system functionality during operations. Includes software tools and scripts in support of process automation and improvement. Provides System Administration services, hardware and software maintenance. Provides single point-of-contact for GDS operations troubleshooting for time-critical environments or events.

[GDS Engineering Support Services](#)

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1.4.3 Mission Support Facilities

Provides logistical consulting, architecture, engineering and support between communicating entities.

[Mission Support Facilities Services](#)

Common Access Manager (CAM)

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MGSS CCC Platform Infrastructure Service

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Multimission MSA

Use of the shared [\[\[LINK\]\]PAGE:toolsandservices:catalogindex|Multimission MSA|](#) is coordinated and planned by MGSS Operations Engineering so needs across missions are planned for and resolved.

Network Connectivity

Provides network connectivity to the mission network for project workstations, servers, and printers. The mission network is high-availability and secure. Network connection options are 10/100/1000 Mbps with fault detection and correction. Network time service, domain name service, and perimeter access control are included.

Operational Voice Service (VOCA)

Provides real-time, multi-channel, shout-down voice communications between project elements. Includes voice instruments and custom voice net set up. Service is high-availability and includes fault detection and correction.

Remote Partner Site Network Connectivity

Provides network connectivity to the mission network for remote project locations. Includes wide area network connections, as required, and the above Network Connectivity capabilities and services. Secure wide area network connections are also available.

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MGSS manages and operates the CAM Server that is used by the DSN (Deep Space Network) Command Preparation & Delivery (CPD) subsystem. CPD users will be authenticated by using a CAM login page before they are able to use CPD. CPD will use the CAM to verify that users have been authenticated and that they are authorized to use CPD services.

MGSS manages the authorization policies that are enforced by the CAM used by the DSN. The DSN will coordinate CPD authorization policies with a project, and provide authorization policy statements to MGSS for implementation in the CAM. MGSS will support the DSN in the design of authorization policies to ensure that policies are properly defined. The CAM Server shall be highly available. All planned outages will be coordinated with customers to prevent adverse impacts to missions. MGSS shall maintain the CAM software for no less than 6 years.

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Terms and Conditions

The customer will provide support for full installation of system and any needed maintenance or repair. For all maintenance and support issues, the customer will engage the vendor as per the conditions defined in the support subscription. The term of this purchase is three years, during which the CCC/OCIO will maintain the tracking of the asset in the Asset and IT security database. At any time during the term of service, the customer may choose to return the system back to the CCC/OCIO. The CCC/OCIO reserves the right to re-allocate the system to another customer, but may not charge for the package again. At any time during the term of service, the customer may request the transfer of the system to another project. Transfers are subject to the bilateral approval of the customer and the CCC/OCIO. At the end of the three-year term, the project may elect to keep the hardware but will be required to pay for additional maintenance and licensing subscriptions from the CCC/OCIO without any additional procurement expenses or overhead.

1.4.3.3 Multimission MSA

No charge to use the Multimission MSA facility (\$0). This may benefit missions that have a desire to have a footprint at JPL.

MGSS has two MSA facilities: 264-231 can accommodate up to 12 operational, and 264-225 can accommodate up to 7 (TBC) operational positions. This facility includes secure badge reader access (MEI building requirements), raised floors allowing for computer cables, video projection (2 in 264-231, 1 in 264-225), UTC clock, and a white board. The 264-231 room also has teleconference equipment, a small conference table and storage cabinets. These MSA's have access to ports for voca, network, and are supported by conditioned, UPS (battery) power and by JPL SpaceFlight Ops Facilities diesel generators in the event of power outages.. The 264-231 MSA also allows access for JPL TV Audio Visual access, including camera mounts.

The cost of populating the Multimission MSA with hardware is a Mission responsibility. The Multimission MSA does not include workstations, virtual machines, ports, phones, vocas, printer, copier, scanner, data storage, hardware labor or system administration support. Certain MGSS infrastructure can be shared between missions for less than the purchase or lease of mission-only hardware. Please contact [Mission Interface Office \(MIO\)](#) for more details. In addition, facility usage is coordinated and planned by [MGSS](#).

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1.4.4 Operations Mission Assurance

Increases the likelihood of mission success by proactively contributing to the identification, assessment and mitigation of risks from formulation through implementation phases of a project's life cycle.

1.4.5 Operations System Engineering

MGSS Operations System engineering is the system engineering for the MGSS operations areas, and responsible for implementing the multimission operational team support for missions. This includes coordination of operational area operational concepts, functional area requirements, ground system and infra structure requirements, interface agreements, process, procedure, training and team certification. This function is responsible for internal MGSS reviews of operational team readiness, participation in MGSS future system development, and assist operational teams with anomaly investigations.

[Operations System Engineering Services](#)

AMMOS Operations Revitalization

Updates and expands AMMOS capabilities for multimission operations. Focuses on providing adaptable, multi-mission process that decrease effort required during MOS development and decrease staffing needs for missions during flight operations.

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1.5 Planning & Sequencing

Planning & Sequencing functions are responsible for the generation of mission plans, science observation plans, sequence and command generation for NASA flight projects. The

products of these uplink functions are used to communicate with and control the spacecraft. Spacecraft operability constraints, mission rules, and flight rules are enforced, and spacecraft activities, science activities, and instrument activities are merged during the planning and sequencing process to produce integrated, conflict-free command products to control the spacecraft.

Planning & Sequencing functions include activity planning tools for deep space orbiter class missions (e.g., MRO, ODY), and landed surface class missions (e.g., PHX, MSL). Product generation can be supported on strategic (e.g., weekly / monthly) and tactical (e.g., daily) timelines. The Planning & Sequencing functions enable distributed mission operations (e.g., remote spacecraft teams, remote science teams).

Mission Planning

Provides integration of plans for mission activities (science and engineering). Includes scheduling of DSN passes and ability to identify and resolve resource conflicts and produce conflict-free, integrated plans.

Observation Planning

Provides the planning of science observations and their integration into science plans, particularly as related to fitting a plan within constraints (such as pointing, data storage volume, power, etc.).

Sequence and Command Generation

Provides the integration and generation of verified and validated sequences for all mission activities. Includes automated checking of Flight Rules and constraints.

Sequence and Command Transmission

Provides for management of command files, and queuing and transmission via DSN.

1.5.1 Mission Planning

Mission Planning provides integration of plans for mission activities. Plans include scheduling of earth-spacecraft communication sessions, spacecraft activities, and science activities. Planning identifies and resolves resource (e.g., on-board data storage, power utilization) conflicts, identifies and resolves temporal conflicts amongst activities, and produces conflict-free planning products.

The Mars Relay Planning Service enables an asset orbiting Mars to return data to Earth on behalf of a landed asset and enables data from Earth to be forwarded to a landed asset via an orbiting asset. Missions that use this service integrate the earth-orbiter-lander communication sessions into their mission plans.

Multimission tools that enable Mission Planning are the Mission Planning and Sequencing (MPS) Editor, and Activity Plan Generator (APGen). The MPS Editor tool enables project users to create activity and sub-activity designs with a drag-n-drop graphical user interface. The APGen tool enables mission and science planners to perform resource-driven planning that spans the range of high-level mission scenarios to detailed science activity plans. The tool may be adapted to create the project-specific resource models and constraint definitions to enable Mission Planning.

[Mission Planning Services](#)

Deep Space Network Scheduling

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Mars Relay Planning

The Mars Relay enables an asset orbiting Mars to return data to Earth on behalf of a landed asset and enables data from Earth to be forwarded to a landed asset via an orbiting asset. Mars Relay Planning involves coordinating and scheduling these relay activities.

[Mission Planning Tools](#)

MPS Editor (Mission Planning and Sequencing Editor)

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Some of the tools that enable Observation Planning are the Mission Planning and Sequencing (MPS) Editor, Activity Plan Generator (APGen), Science Opportunity Analyzer. The MPS Editor tool enables project users to create activity and sub-activity designs with a drag-n-drop graphical user interface. The APGen tool enables mission and science planners to perform resource-driven planning that spans the range of high-level mission scenarios to detailed science activity plans.

The multimission activity planning tool suite includes tools for deep space, orbiter-class missions (e.g., MRO, ODY), and lander surface class missions (e.g., PHX, MSL). The planning tools for lander surface class missions includes drag-n-drop interface to manipulate activities, resource modeling, and capabilities to ingest processed telemetry products to support the activity planning process. Processed telemetry products are used to identify possible new targets for the lander to explore, supports identification of the next location for the lander to approach, provides visuals regarding possible hazardous terrain and near by objects.

[Observation Planning Tools](#)

APGEN (Activity Plan Generator)

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1.5.3 Sequence and Command Generation

Sequence and Command Generation merges science and engineering activities into integrated, constraint-checked, and verified and validated sequences. Modeling of the spacecraft

operability constraints, instrument operability constraints, mission rules, and flight rules are performed. Spacecraft resource consumables (e.g., power, data storage) and non-consumable states (e.g., destow, stow) are modeled.

Some of the multimission tool suites that enable Sequence and Command Generation are SEQGEN and VML (Virtual Machine Language). SEQGEN is a modeling engine for sequences and commands. The tool is a multi-threaded discrete event simulator, and can model multiple parallel sequences simultaneously, and supports event-driven sequencing. VML toolkit consists of several components that provide a standard implementation of a sequence engine. VML is a computer language (e.g., subroutine logic, arithmetic) used to generate commands. VML sequences are translated by a compiler into binary format and are interpreted by the VML flight software, which resides onboard the spacecraft.

[Sequence and Command Generation Services](#)

ASP

Provide the Automated Sequence Processor (ASP) capability to perform automatic generation of sequences and command products. Includes adaptation, implementation, and maintenance of the software, as well as training of the operations team in the use of the ASP system.

DSN Keyword File (DKF) Generation

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[Sequence and Command Generation Tools](#)

(VML) On-Board Sequence Engine System

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AMPCS Uplink

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SEQGEN (Sequence Generation)

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[Sequence and Command Transmission Tools](#)

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